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**Relations Between
U. S. and Vichy May
Be Nearing Break**

**Washington Not Unduly
Interested in What
Laval May Decide**

Washington, May 12.—(AP)—Secretary of State Hull indicated today the United States was not particularly interested in whether a French government headed by Pierre Laval recognizes or does not recognize any agreement which may be reached with the French high commissioner on Martinique.

Hull was asked at his press conference whether it was true that the collaborationist chief of government in Vichy had notified the United States he would not recognize any arrangement for the safe-guarding of Martinique unless it was submitted to Vichy for approval.

The secretary replied he had nothing on that subject except to say that this government was not undertaking to follow any phase of the Martinique situation except the negotiations under way on Martinique itself.

Suspense and uncertainty were injected into the question of Martinique and other French overseas possessions today by the sudden decision of Chief of State Marshal Pétain to cut short a Riviera vacation and hasten back to Vichy.

Confer in France

(Pétain went into conferences with Pierre Laval, Chief of Government, and dispatches from Bern said Reichsmarshal Hermann Goering might meet Pétain and Laval tomorrow to reach final decisions on French-German negotiations.

Bern quarters predicted that the French would refuse to accept the Martinique negotiations as one of the important decisions to be made.

State department officials said they had no information which would shed light on Pétain's move, but in other quarters it was suggested the axis powers might be exerting pressure on the Vichy government to undertake some desperate action in retaliating for the Madagascar occupation and what they called the American "threat" to French western hemisphere possessions.

Sees Rap Ambassador

It was recalled that pro-Nazi Pierre Laval's sudden return to power in Vichy a month ago was accompanied by reliable reports that he was considering a grandiose campaign to "reconquer" (presumably with German assistance) the French colonial possessions now in British and Free French hands.

In this connection it was noted that Laval yesterday conferred again with Takonobu Mitan, Japan's ambassador to Vichy.

The official Vichy announcement said reasons of "imperious concern" compelled the Chief of State's return to the Capital of unoccupied France, and referred to undisclosed "events" demanding his attention. Whether the "events" included developments on Martinique was a matter of conjecture, but it was recalled here that President Roosevelt sent Admiral John H. Hoover and his mission to Martinique only a few days after he had let it be known that the United States stood squarely

The War Today!

By DEWITT MACKENZIE
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**Mayor Frank Burch
of Sterling Quits
in Surprise Action**

**Disagreement Over
Alignment of Duties
Reported Reason**

The heavy German attack in the Crimea probably represents an effort to drive an entering wedge to enable Herr Hitler to embark on his delayed spring offensive through the gateway to the Caucasus where lie the seas of oil on which he yearns to float to glory. The four-day-old battle is still under way, but the business-like manner in which the Reds reportedly have flung the enemy back in the early stages is a further demonstration that the Muscovites are swinging into this critical year with great striking power. This is the third time within recent days that the Bolsheviks have displayed their readiness to deal with emergencies, projected German attacks in the Ukraine and Leningrad sectors having been upset at least temporarily by lightning Russian thrusts.

The Reds' persistent attacks against the uneasy German line throughout the winter, and their ever-ready counter blows at Nazi insurgency, certainly are making the going tough for Herr Hitler's spring drive. The führer is ready for the race (well, he says he is, anyway) but the Russians just won't give him time to dig in his spikes and get a good start.

This is the third spring for which the Nazi chief has prepared offensives, and always before this he has gone into action with the first flowers and the earliest birds. He hurled Germany's massive weight onto Norway and his

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"Go Home"

Washington, May 12.—(AP)—"Go Home" sign was hung out to tourists along the eastern seaboard today as resident motorists from Maine to Florida started lining up for the gasoline ration cards they will need after Friday.

Registration of the 8,500,000 automobile owners in the 17 coastal states and the District of Columbia will continue through Thursday.

The office of Price Administration estimated about one-third of those applying for cards would be classified as "non-essential" and limited to 21 gallons during the 47 day period from May 15 to July 1, when a regular system of rationing that may last for the war's duration will be set up.

The "non-essential" motorists may splurge their allowance all at once on a motorizing vacation, or spread it out on the basis of three gallons a week.

Drivers who need their automobiles to get the work, or who use them in the course of business, will be allowed extra ratings, based on their usual mileage requirements.

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Relenting Wife Finds Father of Her Baby Dead When She Returns to Home

Milwaukee, May 12.—(AP)—As Mrs. Pearl Mutter arrived home from the west last night to patch up a domestic quarrel with her husband she found coroner's assistants placing his body in an ambulance.

Joseph Mutter, 28, had killed a short time before, Sheriff's Captain James Flatley said, after receiving her letter saying she had decided to remain with her parents in Phoenix, Ariz. The captain gave this account of the case:

Mrs. Mutter, 25, took their year-old daughter, Betty, to Phoenix with her a month ago after quar-

reling with her husband, a foundry employee, over his drinking. He became increasingly despondent after she rejected his plea to return when he visited her in Phoenix a week after their estrangement.

A telephone conversation on May 8 in which she indicated she might return buoyed his hopes temporarily. Then her letter came. He killed himself with a target pistol.

Mrs. Mutter, married two years

said that after writing the letter she changed her mind and, with the baby, started the 2,000 mile trip home.

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TUESDAY, MAY 12, 1942

Chicago and Vicinity: Little change in temperature this afternoon, tonight, and Wednesday forenoon, with an occasional shower. Moderate to occasionally strong winds.

Indiana: Continued rather warm this afternoon, tonight and Wednesday forenoon, with an occasional shower or thunderstorm.

LOCAL WEATHER: For the 24 hours ending at 7 a.m. today: maximum temperature 69, minimum 61; cloudy; precipitation .16 inches, total for May to date 2.02 inches, total for year to date 6.81 inches.

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Of Interest to Farmers

FRANK PRIEBE'S WEEKLY LETTER to POULTRY RAISERS

The production of luxuries in this country is rapidly giving way to the production of necessities.

Eggs are a necessary food.

To encourage the production of more eggs the government has supported the egg market and will support the chicken market if it is necessary to do so in order to insure a sufficient number of pullets.

But underline this: Broilers are not included in the government's price-supporting program. Broilers are a luxury.

Neither broilers nor fryers fit the government's food requirements. Roy F. Hendrickson, Agricultural Marketing Administrator, points out that "both are highly specialized products and the rapidity with which they can be produced would create a difficult situation if they were subject to price-supporting measures."

He says emphatically that "the increased production of these types of poultry shall not be encouraged, unless the supplies can be readily absorbed through regular commercial channels."

The government has made its position clear. It's up to us to act accordingly, or take the consequences.

Put More Meat on Birds

This is the situation at present. What it will be a few months from now or a year from now is another matter.

We know that all the supplies necessary for packing eggs and poultry are increasingly harder to get. Used egg cases are at a premium. Poultry boxes, wire, nails, and paper are difficult to buy. People who ice-pack broilers were covering the barrels with burlap. They can't even get it any more.

So far this has only resulted in inconvenience or forced us to find substitutes. But the time may come when the container situation will affect our marketing practices.

I am not predicting, but I would not be surprised if the marketing of chickens under 2½ or even 3 pounds were prohibited.

When you come right down to it, if we get to the point where we are faced with an actual shortage of containers in which to ship it, why should anyone sell a bird that weighs under 2½ pounds when at that point, another pound or two of meat can be added at comparatively little additional cost?

This may sound drastic. But actually it would be no more drastic than taking the cuffs off our trousers, which sounded like a pretty economy to us, but which is supposed to save materials for thousands of suits.

Small increases in production, like small savings, add up to surprisingly large totals. Let's put another pound of meat on the chickens before we sell them this year!

Back in 1909

Back in 1909 the hens in this country laid an average of 84 eggs a year. By last year they had stepped that up to 110 eggs a year—which is quite an increase.

It means you can get as many eggs from 150 hens today as you did from 200 hens thirty years ago.

Hens are laying more eggs now than they used to because we learned to pick out the good layers and breed from them, and because we learned to feed the chickens as well as we did other livestock instead of letting them scratch for themselves.

We have accomplished a lot—particularly the last few years. In 26 years, beginning in 1909, we added only 9 eggs to a hen's yearly production. But in the next 6

Lee County Farm Bureau News Notes

Rates on which payments for cooperation in the 1942 AAA Farm program will be based have been announced by the Lee County Agricultural Conservation Association, Amboy, Ill.

Corn farmers who stay within corn allotments this year will earn a payment of 5.5 cents per bushel crop allotment payment and will be eligible to earn a payment of 11.1 cents per bushel parity payment. Farmers who raise potatoes can earn the payment of 1.8 cents per bushel for staying within potato allotments.

All payments are made on the basis of the normal production of the allotted acreage for the farm.

Principal purposes of the AAA payments in 1942 are to encourage continued adjustment of production in line with national needs and to insure grain farmers of parity prices on their crops. With payments made to bring grain prices up to parity, no hardship will be worked on livestock feeders or consumers.

The payments will be made, from an appropriation now being authorized by congress, to help farmers use land, labor and equipment as efficiently as possible to raise required supplies of farm products. AAA officials point out that this year's payments, in effect, are levers helping farmers convert from production of crops with big reserves to crops the country needs to increase quickly.

For 1941 rates were 9 cents allotment payment and 5 cents parity payment on corn, and 8 cents allotment payment and 10 cents parity on wheat. The 1942 rates have been reduced since tentative payment rates were announced last fall.

Farmers in Lee county voted 64 for and 7 against wheat marketing quotas in the referendum last

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We're just beginning to learn how much good management affects the rate of production—whether you're manufacturing eggs or airplanes.

Suppose a plane manufacturer hired a lot of people, crowded them into a factory, and gave them tools—but not enough to go around, and plenty of motors—but not enough propellers. He wouldn't turn out planes very fast. And, because we know we must have planes, we'd soon be demanding that the government take over the factory and put in someone who would get the job done.

Public Demands Good Job

When you stop to think about it, you realize that a lot of people producing eggs run their "factory" in just as inefficient manner. They crowd too many hens into the house. They don't give them enough feeders and waterers. (A man who spends all his time working with poultry raisers told me just the other day that 80 percent of them didn't have enough equipment and even the feeders and waterers they had were often empty. They "just hadn't got around to filling them up yet.")

And they may give the birds plenty of corn, but not enough protein to balance it—and it takes both to make an egg.

Right now our greatest need is for planes and ships and weapons of war. But in the end, the greatest need will be for food. And we will be expected to produce it as efficiently as we now expect manufacturers to produce planes.

None of us does things as well as we know how to do them.

For instance, although every body that chickens need water, waterers are often empty. And we know that chickens need to be fed as well as other livestock if we want good production, but we don't always feed them that well.

And we know that if we crowd too many hens in a house we're almost sure to have trouble from disease and lose a lot of birds, but we can't resist the temptation to keep just 20 or 30 more hens.

That is poor management.

The day is past when we can afford it and I am sure the day is coming when the public won't tolerate it, any more than it will tolerate poor management in manufacturing industries today.

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Dixon, Illinois, Tuesday, May 12, 1942

Society News

Homemakers Meet at Camp Rotary in Early June

Homemakers of western Illinois will be laying aside their household duties for three days in early June to congregate at Camp Rotary in Winnebago county for a varied program of rest, recreation, and handicraft. Mrs. Alice Hills, naturalist at White Pines Forest state park, is to conduct recreation or a hike on the first afternoon, Wednesday, June 10.

The tentative program for the three-day outing has been outlined as follows:

Wednesday—10:00 a. m., Registration; 11 a. m., mixing recreation; 12:00, lunch; 1 to 2:30 p. m., discussion led by Mrs. Wood; 4:00, swimming pool open for one hour; 4:30, recreation or hike in charge of Mrs. Alice Hills; 5:00, rest; 6:00, supper; 7:30, evening program in charge of Winnebago county and Mrs. Milligan.

Thursday—7:30 a. m., breakfast; 8:30, handicraft; 9:30, discussion led by Mrs. Rafferty; 10:30, discussion led by Mrs. Wood; 12:00, dinner; 1:30 p. m., rest; 2:30, demonstration on carding and weaving, arranged by Mrs. Clark of Ogle county; 3:30, recreation; 5:30, supper; 7:30, evening program out of doors; music arranged by Mrs. Milligan.

Friday—7:30 a. m., breakfast and stunts, with the recreation committee in charge; 8:30, handicraft; 9:30, talk by Mrs. Kathryn Van Aken Burns; 10:30, discussion led by Mrs. Rafferty; 12:00, luncheon; 1:30 p. m., farewell to camp, in charge of Mrs. Milligan; annual business meeting.

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MOTHERS' CLUB
Mrs. V. L. Carpenter of 417 Second avenue, will be hostess to the Mothers' club at 8 o'clock Wednesday evening. Mrs. Edwin W. Merrick, Jr. is to be the speaker.

Mrs. Warren Miller and Mrs. Jack Sharkey are to entertain with Mrs. Carpenter. Those unable to attend are asked to notify one of the hostesses.

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DINNER GUESTS
Mr. and Mrs. Albert Lengel entertained at dinner recently in honor of their son, Pvt. Walter Lengel, who has returned to Headquarters Co., 32nd Inf. Camp San Luis Obispo, Calif., after a ten-day furlough at home.

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POSTPONE DINNER
The dinner party which the Community Players had planned for tomorrow evening is being postponed. A new date for the affair will be announced later.

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TO IOWA
Mrs. G. Van Inwegen expects to leave Thursday for a visit in Council Bluffs, Iowa.

At "Thornhill"



LIEUT. MARILYN ATKINSON IS TO BE BRIDE OF LIEUT. JO MORGAN TEAGUE IN TEXAS

The engagement of Miss Marilyn Joyce Atkinson to Lieut. Jo Morgan Teague, Jr. was announced Saturday at a buffet supper given in honor of the couple by a group of officers and wives at the Anti-Aircraft Training Center, El Paso, Tex. The couple's wedding is to take place later this month in the chapel at Fort Bliss, about five miles out of El Paso.

Miss Atkinson is the daughter of Mrs. A. J. Hollenbeck of Rock Falls, and formerly resided in Dixon. She is a recent graduate of the Michael Reese hospital school of nursing in Chicago, and is a lieutenant in the Army Nurse corps, now stationed at William Beaumont General hospital at El Paso.

Lieutenant Teague is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Teague of Atlanta, Ga. He is a graduate of Georgia School of Technology, where he was a member of Chi Chi social fraternity and Tau Beta Phi, national engineering fraternity. He received a master's degree in ceramic engineering from Ohio State university, and was formerly associated with the Owens-Illinois Glass company of Toledo, Ohio.

Lieutenant Teague is now stationed with the Coast Artillery Anti-Aircraft regiment at Fort Bliss.

Mrs. Charles R. Walgreen of Dixon and Chicago, one of the most active amateur gardeners assisting with arrangements for the Chicago Flower Show, expects to be at "Thornhill Farm", the Joy Morton estate, to welcome Dixon friends during the show, which opens at 4 p. m. Thursday. The show continues through Sunday, from 10:30 a. m. to 10:30 p. m. Meals will be served on the grounds.

RECEIVES DEGREE

Commencement came early this year at Notre Dame, the university having been taken over by the United States navy as a training school. During the impressive exercises conducted for the class of '42 on Sunday at the campus Field House, Tom Reilly, son of the Philip Reillys of this city, received a bachelor of science degree in electrical engineering.

Mr. and Mrs. Reilly, Marianne and Philip Reilly, Jr., and Mrs. Mary Riordan attended from here, and were joined at Notre Dame by the Reillys' elder daughter, Betty, who is attending the National College of Education at Evanston. Tom returned to Dixon on last evening with his parents, who left for Notre Dame on Saturday.

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BARGER-LAIDIG

Miss Marjorie Laidig, eldest daughter of the Joseph Laidigs of Dixon, became the bride of Robert Barger, only son of Mr. and Mrs. John Barger of Broughton, Ill. Friday afternoon. The Rev. R. W. Ford read the vows at 4 o'clock at the parsonage of the First Christian church.

Miss Edith Smith and Ruel Cook were the couple's attendants. The bride was dressed in blue, with a corsage of pink carnations, and Miss Smith chose beige, with a shoulder bouquet of sweet peas.

Mrs. Barger is employed at the Dixon State hospital. The bridegroom has been inducted into the army.

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MUSIC FESTIVAL AT STERLING

The Whiteside County Music Festival, to be presented Friday, May 15, at the Sterling Township high school stadium, will be featured by early English, Welsh, Irish and Scotch compositions from the British Isles, Hungarian, Russian, Spanish and Scandinavian folk songs and folk dances; folk dances by 42 girls of the fourth and fifth grades of the Wallace school, directed by Miss Beulah Mathew.

Costumes of Sweden, Hungary, and Norway will be worn by the dancers, who have presented their dances on several previous programs during the year.

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SUNDAY GUESTS

Dr. and Mrs. F. L. Blewfield were entertaining Sunday guests from Hanover and Rockford at the Methodist parsonage. The visitors included the Blewfields' son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Blunt, and the Ben Hannys and two children, Marilyn and Jack, from Hanover; Dr. Blewfield's mother, Mrs. C. H. Blewfield, and his sister, Mrs. E. W. Swenson, of Rockford.

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FROM WISCONSIN

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Goodsell and her mother, Mrs. T. A. Ames, returned to Dixon last evening, after spending the Mother's Day weekend in Evansville, Wis., with Mrs. Ames' son and daughter-in-law, Dr. and Mrs. J. W. Ames.

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NELSON SCHOOL TO GIVE PROGRAM

The elementary school of Nelson will present a May Day program at 8 o'clock. Mrs. Rae Kreider is to direct the musical numbers.

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MARION BUSY BEES

Members of the Marion Busy Bees 4-H club held their first meeting recently in the basement of the Walton church. Eleanor Morrissey gave a talk on "Foods", Wileen Rock discussed "Salads" and Doris Flessner presented a talk and demonstration on "Seams."

Seventeen members responded to roll call. Four new members were introduced, including Lorraine Green, Mary Margaret Morrissey, Regina Morrissey and Mary Jean McCafferry.

The next meeting is to be held at the Walton church, May 11.

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BUFFET SUPPER

Mrs. H. U. Bardwell entertained with a buffet supper Sunday evening for Dr. and Mrs. Grover Moss of Grand Detour.

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A Thought for Today

Wisdom is the principal thing; therefore get wisdom; and with all thy getting get understanding.—Proverbs 4:7.

But they whom truth and wisdom lead can gather honey from a weed.—Cowper.

People Are Becoming Emotional

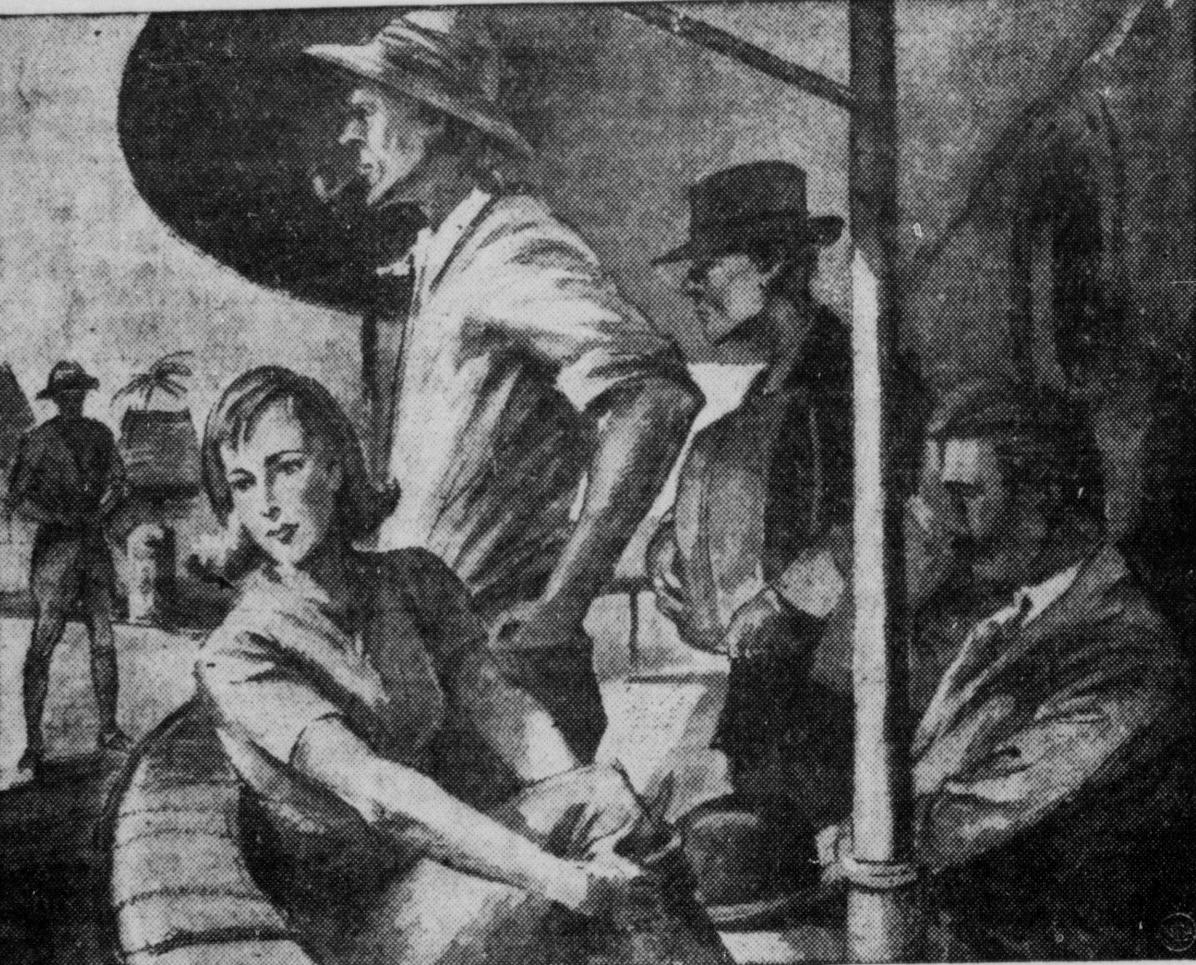
Indications in Illinois, South Dakota and other states where elections have been held since the beginning of the war indicate that there is considerable dissatisfaction among the people.

It is too early to decide what causes the discontent. There are some of course who object to the restrictions which have been imposed as a result of the war. There are others who feel that the war effort is not being conducted to the best advantage. Whatever the cause the discontent is self-evident.

Two weeks ago a New Deal representative, in applying a new series of restrictions, suggested that perhaps somebody might go bankrupt because of them. The implication was that there are bound to be casualties in any war. That is true. If men are to be killed on the field of battle, or drowned in the seven seas, not to mention the oceans, then it would seem that a manufacturer should not object too much to the mere process of going bankrupt and

CARIBBEAN CRISIS

BY EATON K. GOLDFTHWAITE



Illustrated by Carol Johnson

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CHAPTER I
IT was a little past noon when the mailboat reached Abas Island and Bill Talcott, who had been up since dawn, noticed with amazement the arrival of four

visitors. He had no difficulty in spotting the new man Halsey, a rangy, lantern-jawed individual in his forties, and he guessed that the skinny little fellow with the voluminous briefcase would be the company auditor.

But the other two, a mustached character much the worse for the ride across Anegada Passage, and a slender blond girl in plum-colored slacks, were entirely out of place. It was only because the girl was so positive in ordering the transfer of her luggage that Bill Talcott decided she must be a relative of Halsey's who had come along to see him settled in his new home.

"I'm your successor," the rangy man admitted after he had gotten the dock under his feet. "Not surprised you didn't meet us in Saint Thomas. Had no idea it was such a long trip. This is Struthers, the auditor, and Mr. MacDowell."

The girl in the plum-colored slacks was fresh as a zephyr, as coolly unconcerned as a scudding cloud. "I'm June Paterson," she announced, wrinkling her pert nose. "Lowell Byrd's cousin. He cabled that you were expecting to return to the Continent. I've been spending a month with friends in Charlotte Amalie and Lowell's afraid I'll go native. You're to look after me."

"Wh-what?" Bill Talcott gasped. "Aren't you thrilled?" she murmured, lowering her lashes in an exaggerated coquette. And then she swept away to organize the confused scampering of houseboys for luggage.

Bill Talcott gaped, wracking his brain to recall Lowell Byrd's cousin. Could this be the kid he'd danced with after the water polo meets at Cornell? Dimly he remembered a lot of arms and legs all wrapped in yards of green silk. It had been a dozen years since he had shared a room with Lowell Byrd in engineering school. Suddenly, because you don't go in for the social nice after six years on a place like Abas, he became conscious

that he had neither shaved nor changed his clothes.

"I suppose you received Winters' cable?" Halsey was saying. "I presume your accounts are in shape for the customary audit?"

The new man's critical eye scanned the rocky, barren tourist of the island. Already he was fretting in the closeness of the brassy, stifling heat; flaring his nostrils at the smell.

"I'm all set," Talcott said. "We'll go up to the house for a drink. You'll be able to get in a swim before lunch if you like."

Halsey hesitated, a half-smile on his lips, and the sweating little auditor cut in. "Thanks for the invitation, Talcott," Struthers said in a thin voice. "But if you don't mind, Halsey and I will get right to work. If you'll just show us to the office."

Bill Talcott nodded in mild surprise. Such eagerness to burst him and his eyes were both puzzled and appraising. Struthers mentioned in the hectic correspondence with Old Man Winters. But he kept his peace. After six years of same ness a new face, even a close-mouthed one, was welcome. June Paterson supplied the lack with an endless round of questions about the extraction of nitrates, and they were on a fresh round of drunks when Halsey came up with "Holland! Gosh!"

Talcott would have liked to ask him his connection with Halsey and Struthers; there hadn't been any MacDowells mentioned in the hectic correspondence with Old Man Winters. But he kept his peace. After six years of same ness a new face, even a close-mouthed one, was welcome. June Paterson supplied the lack with an endless round of questions about the extraction of nitrates, and they were on a fresh round of drunks when Halsey came up with "Holland! Gosh!"

The new man's jaw was grim and his eyes were both puzzled and appraising. Struthers wants to see you," Halsey said abruptly.

"So soon?" Talcott flushed. "Aren't you fellows in a bit of a rush?"

"I think you'd better go," Halsey said. Again his eyes held swift appraisal, mirroring perhaps incredulous disappointment.

Baffled, Talcott got to his feet. Turning to June Paterson he said, "I trust you will excuse me. The boy will get you anything you need."

The ash-blond girl regarded him with a quizzical smile. "Trouble in paradise," she laughed. "Do we dress for dinner?"

"If you wish," he said coldly.

Whatever concern he held at the strangeness of Halsey's manner was stifled when he entered the office. In its hot interior, Struthers had surrounded himself with books. The auditor's coat was off and his wet shirt clung to his skinny ribs. His eyes were enormous behind thick-lensed glasses, and he sniffed and said,

"Talcott, you appear to be short in your accounts by \$158,000. I suppose you've got some explanation?"

"I have to take up my commission," he said, and decided that she was horribly spoiled. He didn't think it necessary to tell her that "all this" included operation of a fertilizer plant. Her upturned nose must have told her that. He didn't tell her, either, that the population of Abas con-

DIXON EVENING TELEGRAPH

NEWS BEHIND THE NEWS
By PAUL MALLON

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Washington, May 11—Rep.

Pierce of Oregon, author of bills to prohibit public opinion polls, has asked the house to give thought to restrictions on newspaper columns and radio. He said the congress must decide "how far we are going to allow newspaper columnists to go in criticism, and how far those who talk over the radio are going to be able to criticize".

Dear Mr. Pierce:

You are going to go just as far in allowing criticisms as you want the people to have confidence in the government of which you are a part. You will go just as far in permitting open discussion as you want to show that the principles of democracy—for which we are fighting this war—are going to be sincerely maintained.

I agree with you the question is not up to the columnists or the radio commentators. It is up to the government.

The government must decide whether it is so weak it cannot stand criticism, or whether it still has the confidence in the righteousness of its policies to plant its feet firmly in the ground of reasonable justice, where it has always stood and let what criticism fly that may. That is the only point to be decided.

Hitler's government was not strong enough to do that. It could not answer criticism with the devastating force of reasoning and explanation. It had to suppress its critics arbitrarily.

It could stand as a government in no other way. Its action was a confession of weakness, both as to the justice of its cause and the support among its people for that cause. By this action, it conceded it was a minority movement.

But in our democracy we have been proud to do things differently. Our government, every time it acts, says in effect to its critics:

"Do your damndest. We defy you because we know we are right. We have confidence in the sound judgment of the people as a whole, for that is the basis upon which democracy works".

You will remember that many actions were taken during the last World War, in the suppression of criticism, of which we were not proud when the war was over and a calmer judgment prevailed. We laughed at some of the vicious and bitter things we did against people who did not agree with us. There has been less of that in this war.

Attorney General Biddle has embarked only recently upon a policy of punishing in the courts the most sensational critics of war policy. He hesitated a long time before acting, no doubt because he believes so strongly in civil liberties. He must have known he was taking a dangerous step, because he so long resisted the extremists on that side, who were chanting at him daily for arbitrary suppression and for the scalps of all non-conformists.

Criticism will stand or fall on its own power which lies in truth, accuracy, fairness and justice. Unjust criticism never needs an answer. Criticism which lies in truth cannot be answered.

You can keep it out of the newspapers and off the radio—any kind of criticism, good, bad or indifferent—but I wonder if you can stop people from thinking.

Will there not always be criticism? Will you not just chase it underground and thereby make it more dangerous if you bar it from its normal channels of expression?

To make the course you advocate effective, will you not have to stand with a bayonet over each critic and say:

"You think my way, or else".

But, all right, say you are right. Let the government decide. As a matter of fact, I think the government already has decided the point you raise.

I have been writing my column since December 7 just about the same as before, sometimes critical, sometimes approving, perhaps more critical than approving, and no one has come around to tell me criticism has been barred, or is likely to be barred.

I don't think congress will act on your suggestion. If it does, and criticism is barred, you can have my column to write platitudes, praising paean and pusillanimy, or what you think the public ought to hear, but I warn you beforehand, nobody will believe you if you work on that basis, and nobody should.

The people of this country do not have to be fed that kind of stuff to fight a war. And if they

Yours sincerely,

Paul Mallon.

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Social Afternoon

Members of the Dorcas society of the Church of God will have a social gathering at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gene Myers Thursday afternoon and present the Myers' new baby daughter, Judith Edna, with a gift.

Thimble Club

Mrs. Clare Bradford will be hostess to the Wednesday afternoon Thimble club.

Attended Alumni Banquet

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Deuth were in Forreston Saturday night to attend the Forreston high school alumni banquet and dance.

Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Doty were visited Sunday by their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Hurdle and daughter, of Polo.

Mrs. J. W. Patton is spending the week with relatives in Polo.

Mr. and Mrs. Heanehl and daughter, Joanne, of Indiana, were callers Friday at the home of Mrs. Frank Burger.

Mr. and Mrs. Harper Koontz and Miss Betty Jean Lindsay of Mt. Morris, Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Doeden and sons, were entertained at dinner Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George M. Siple.

Miss Helen Thomas, home bureau adviser of Whiteside county was home for Mother's Day with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Thomas.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Bressler of Hammond, Ind., spent Sunday with her mother, Mrs. Frank Burger.

Mr. and Mrs. William Thiede were Sunday guests of Mrs. S. Kuhlmeier at Freeport.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Anderson entertained at dinner Sunday, Mrs. Alfred Larson, Misses Beda, Jenine and Dorothy Larson and Raymond Larson of Batavia, Mrs. C. F. Anderson and Miss Betty Peterson.

Mr. and Mrs. John Thomas, Misses Gladys and Helen Thomas, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Beveridge and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Deuth were entertained at dinner Sunday evening at the farm home of Mr. and Mrs. Edward B. Thomas.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Marsh were visited Sunday by their son, John Marsh and family of Rockford.

Mrs. James Harshman entertained at a scramble dinner Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Claussen and family of Mount Morris, Mr. and Mrs. B. T. Wolfe of Rockford, Mrs. William Smice of Dixon, Mrs. H. D. Haight, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Kenyon and Harry Haight.

Dr. and Mrs. Sunder Joshi of Chicago, spent Sunday and Monday with her parents, Dr. and Mrs. B. A. Cottlow.

Mr. and Mrs. Barge Leonard of Portland, Oregon, were recent guests of Attorney J. C. Seyster and son, Tom. Miss Marjorie Etnyre of Chicago was here to spend Mother's Day with Mrs. C. D. Etnyre.

Mrs. Emma Tice entertained Mrs. Lewis Haak of Rochelle over the weekend.

Mrs. Elizabeth Ely was visited over the weekend by her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Bradford of Rockford.

Mr. and Mrs. Evert Gustafson of Rockford were weekend visitors of Mr. and Mrs. H. R. May.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Harris and son, Philip and F. Harris of Rochelle, called on the former's mother, Mrs. Minnie Harris Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Corcoran entertained guests Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. William Corcoran and daughter of Cherry Valley, Mr. and John Corcoran and two children, Mrs. Alice Corcoran, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Frey, Mr. and Mrs. Orin Blue and two children of Rockford.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Mumma of St. Charles were weekend guests of relatives coming to attend funeral services Saturday of Earl Mumma.

Mrs. W. F. Brooke and guest, Mrs. C. B. Anderson of Redondo Beach, Calif., were dinner guests Tuesday of Mr. and Mrs. Dewitt Warner in Pine Creek township.

Mr. and Mrs. Verna Hale and daughter, of LaSalle, spent Mother's Day with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Hale.

The Presbyterian Guild will hold their regular meeting and scramble supper Wednesday evening at the home of Dr. and Mrs. W. S. Bowen.

ever get the idea that your wishes are prevailing in their news reports, and that they are not being told other sides of the story, their imaginations and suspicions will be aroused, and will be fed by unfounded rumors which will defeat your purpose and theirs in this war.

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Yours sincerely,

Paul Mallon.

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Funerals

Suburban—

MRS. OLIVER WATTS
(Telegraph Special Service)

Mount Morris, May 12.—The funeral of Mrs. Oliver Watts, who died in Rockford hospital at 6:30 o'clock Monday morning, will be held at the family home here at 2:30 o'clock Wednesday afternoon.

The Rev. W. Harold Wiltz, pastor of the Christian church, officiating. Burial will be in Oakwood cemetery.

Ada Mumma, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Mumma, was born in Mount Morris in October 1874 and had lived in the community all of her life. She was married to Oliver S. Watts in 1898.

She is survived by her husband, one brother, Edward Mumma, Mount Morris, and several nieces and nephews. One daughter predeceased her in death.

Mrs. Georgiana Purcell Sterling, May 12.—The funeral of Mrs. Georgiana Purcell, 87, who died at her home here Sunday morning after a short illness, was held at the home Monday afternoon, after which the body was taken to Monticello, Ill. for burial this afternoon.

Mrs. Purcell was born in Circleville, O., April 18, 1855, and moved to Monticello with her parents when she was a small child. She later moved to Harmon, Lee county, before coming to Sterling in 1909. She was married Nov. 3, 1870, in Monticello to Alonzo Purcell, who died in February, 1926.

Surviving are three sons, Frank, stationed at Fort Bragg, N. C., William, Sherburne, N. Y., and Gene, Bessemer, Ala.; 19 grandchildren and 22 great-grandchildren. Two daughters, Mrs. Emma Gertrude Hettlinger and Mrs. Nettie Swartley, preceded her in death.

MRS. JOHN FOSSLEMAN

Freeport, Ill., May 12.—Burial services for Mrs. John C. Fosselman, former resident of Dixon, who passed away in Coral Gables, Fla., on January 22, will be held in Oakland cemetery, near Freeport, at 3 o'clock Thursday afternoon. The Rev. H. T. Chenoweth, pastor of First Methodist church, will conduct the brief service. Her body will be at the Walker funeral home in Freeport until the hour of the service.

No Man Permitted to Hide Behind a Self-Made Status

Chicago, May 12—(AP)—A decision by the presidential appeal board in an Illinois case rules that a wife's pregnancy acquired since Pearl Harbor will not be accepted by national selective service officials as a cause for dependency deferment for registrant.

Col. Paul G. Armstrong, Illinois selective service director, said the registrant involved married after he had registered for selective service and his wife became pregnant after the United States declared war.

Deferment was refused by the final appeal board to another Illinois registrant, Armstrong said, who married a widow with a six-year-old daughter on Dec. 6, 1941—the day before the Pearl Harbor attack.

"These decisions," he said, should serve notice to all registrants that they cannot hope to avoid their rightful military obligation by acquiring any change of status within their control when their selection for duty is imminent. x x x No man will be allowed to hide behind any condition which he, himself, has brought about for the purpose of evading military service."

Temperance Hill

Mrs. Wayne Duffield of Moline was a dinner guest Friday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Mynard. Mrs. Emma Mynard of Amboy.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, County of Lee—ss.

Town of Palmyra

OFFICE OF TOWN SUPERVISOR
The following is a statement by Leon J. Hart, supervisor of the Town of Palmyra in the County and State aforesaid, of the amount of public funds received and expended by him during the fiscal year just closed, ending on the 31st day of March, 1942, showing the amount of public funds on hand at the commencement of said fiscal year, the amount of public funds received and from what sources received, the amount of public funds expended and for what purposes expended, during fiscal year ending as aforesaid.

The said Leon J. Hart, being duly sworn, doth depose and say that the following statement by him subscribed is a correct statement of the amount of public funds on hand at the commencement of the fiscal year above stated, the amount of public funds received, and the sources from which received, and the amount expended, and purposes for which expended, as set forth in said statement.

LEON J. HART

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 7th day of May, 1942.
STERLING D. SCHROCK,
County Clerk Lee Co.

TOWN FUND—RECEIPTS

Funds Received and From What Sources Received
Amount of funds on hand at the commencement of the fiscal year commencing the 1st day of April, 1941 \$1144.96
Taxes from levy of this fiscal year 1007.85

TOTAL RECEIPTS	
To Whom Paid	For What Purpose Expended
E. H. Williams, Ins. Town Hall	\$ 3.70
Election Expense	37.00
R. H. Belcher, Moderator	2.50
F. X. Newcomer, Prem. on Supervisor's Bond	50.00
M. H. Lenox, Salary Town Clerk	108.73
Fuel and Lights Town Hall	10.20
Jess Sivits, Auditing	1.50
Frank Beede	3.00
Leon J. Hart, Auditing	1.50
Paul McGinnis, H. W. Com. Sal.	594.00
Pettibone & Co., Record Book	6.24
Jess Sivits, Assessing	212.00
W. F. Dickey, Labor on Town Hall	126.65
J. D. Brantner, Labor on Town Hall	128.65
Wilbur Lumber Co., Mat. Town Hall	163.39
W. H. Ware, Paint Town Hall	116.78
Clint Emmert, Wiring Town Hall	6.50
Frank Kreim, Shades, Town Hall	15.10
Harry Hall, Membership Co. Official	5.00
Chas. Albrecht, Canada Thistle Com.	52.00

TOTAL RECEIPTS	
To Whom Paid	For What Purpose Expended
Disbursements	\$1644.44

BALANCE	
	\$ 508.47

ROAD AND BRIDGE FUND—RECEIPTS

Amount of funds on hand at the commencement of the fiscal year, commencing the 26th day of March, 1941	
	\$2109.31
Amount received in this fiscal year from collector on 1940 levy	3753.84
Other receipts, John Sheaffer, Cattle Pass	45.65

TOTAL RECEIPTS	
	\$5863.15

Maintenance of Hard Roads

Foster Reese, crushing and hauling gravel	\$3089.25
Miller Bros. gasoline	347.20
Walter Eastman, gasoline	13.65
Ward McGinnis, grading	204.10
Merrill Gilbert, grading	86.40
Ida Miller, gravel	42.80

Bridge and Culvert Repairs

Wheeling Corrugating Co., culvert pipe	\$ 216.29
Sinow & Wienman, reinforcing iron	54.18
W. H. Ware, Wire and Shovels	5.16
Home Lumber Co., cement and labor	36.51
High Grain Co., cement and labor	176.55
T. W. Leake, culvert pipe	13.80
Grover Guinn, labor	50.35
John Hauck, labor	17.10
Lawrence Reaver, labor	18.00
Merrill Gilbert, labor	41.40
Ward McGinnis, labor	4.00
Walter Hackbath, labor	12.60

Machinery Repairs

H. B. Faith Equipment Co.	\$ 79.64
Geo. Weckler	39.35
E. H. Anderson	2.50
Geo. Nett & Co.	66.82
Hemminger Garage	6.36

Miscellaneous

Leon J. Hart, Supervisor Com. on road and bridge fund	59.22
W. H. Ware, shovel, chain and oiler	2.87
H. Hallsec, membership Co. Official Assn.	10.00

Cutting Brush and Mowing Weeds

Grover Guinn	\$ 13.60
John Hauck	7.20
Merrill Gilbert	175.00

Snow Removal

Merrill Gilbert	10.00
Ward McGinnis	15.00

TOTAL RECEIPTS	
	\$5863.15

TOTAL EXPENDITURES	
	\$4945.90

BALANCE	
	\$ 917.25

POOR RELIEF FUND—RECEIPTS

Funds Received and From What Sources Received	
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Amount of funds on hand at the commencement of the fiscal year, commencing the 1st day of April, 1941	\$ 417.32
Taxes from levy of this fiscal year	1003.13

TOTAL RECEIPTS	
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RELIEF OF POOR	\$1420.45
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To Whom Paid For What Purpose Expended	
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National Tea, Groceries	\$ 70.00
Raymond & Son, Coal	53.75
Dr. Werren, Medical Care	28.00
Paul O'Neill, Rent	18.00
Ed Lambert, Stove	20.00
Wilbur Lumber Co., Building Paper	5.79

TOTAL RECEIPTS	
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Total Disbursements	\$ 175.54
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BALANCE	
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Pasadena, Calif., returned to Malone with Mrs. Duffield after spending a week at the Mynard home.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank McCaffrey and family visited relatives in West Brooklyn Sunday.

Mrs. Jim Cruse and daughter Jane Ann of Freeport visited Sunday evening with the Cecil Harrison family.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Dunbar and family, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Fassler and family, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Taubenheim of Franklin Grove, Mrs. Maude Ball, Mrs. Nina Spangler and son Gordon of Amboy visited Sunday afternoon with the George Pankhurst family.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Stader, Mr. and Mrs. George Stader and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Slaybaugh attended a party Monday evening at the Ben Richwine home near Franklin Grove, honoring Mr. and Mrs. Walter Stader (newlyweds).

Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Brown and Mrs. Martha Shaw of Amboy visited Friday afternoon with the Frank Mynard family.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Butler, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Watson and family of Franklin Grove, Mrs. Joseph Bell and son Frederick and Mr. and Mrs. Myron Royster of Chicago were callers Sunday afternoon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Hullah.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank McCaffrey and family attended the graduation exercises at Lee Center Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Reid, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Hillison, Mr. and Mrs. Ole Christianson, Mrs. Thirga Sanders of Walnut, Mr. and Mrs. James Reid and family of Oregon, Mrs. Elmer Underhill and children all enjoyed a scrambled dinner Sunday with Mrs. Flora Reid and daughter Mabel of Amboy.

For want of a nail

*For want of a nail, a shoe was lost
For want of a shoe, a horse was lost
For want of a horse, a rider was lost
For want of a rider, a battle was lost
For want of the battle, a kingdom was lost
All for the want of a horseshoe nail*

(Poor Richard's Almanac)



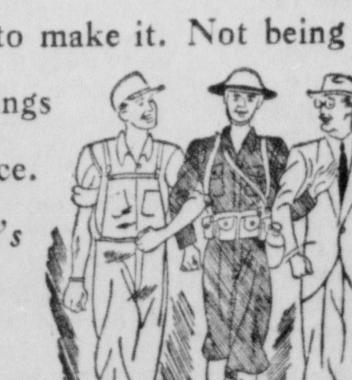
Nothing like that's going to happen to America. America is going to win its battles :: win them by seeing that the men who need the tools, machines, guns, and supplies HAVE THEM :: WHEN THEY NEED THEM. That means you :: us :: everyone :: is going to give up a lot of things we enjoyed and took for granted :: because the men who fight :: and the men behind the men who fight :: need those things! Okay :: we're willing :: GLAD :: to make the sacrifice :: any sacrifice. But how will we make sure that the right men get the things they need? The priority system takes care of that. Our Government knows what's needed :: knows who makes it :: knows who should have it! The priority system is the Government's way of seeing that the right men get what they need :: when they need it. The priority system says DEFENSE NEEDS COME FIRST :: and tells in what order those



We're printing this ad so customers will understand. When Wards :: or any one :: asks for a priority :: that's because the Government wants it that way :: wants to make sure that a defense worker isn't being deprived of something he needs :: needs vitally! And we want to make this clear—although many items are restricted by priorities :: most of the things you need :: clothes, shoes, furniture :: practically everything you use :: you can still buy as before. And you can buy all these things at Wards :: economically :: with assured satisfaction. Not

being able to sell tools and equipment except on a priority is going to cost us a lot of business. Well, that's part of our sacrifice :: and we're glad to make it. Not being able to buy those things is part of your sacrifice.

* We're pretty sure that's okay with you!



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The Right Tools
in the Right Hands

If your work is vital to our nation... if you're one of the men behind the men with guns... the government wants you to have the tools you need to do your job at top speed! The Priorities System helps you get these tools... so you can help WIN THE VICTORY! Ask at Montgomery Ward for full information on Priorities!

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HEARD 'N' SEEN

By JOHNNY MITCHELL

LAST CALL . . . many of you bowling enthusiasts must have too many "bobs" jingling around in your jeans for there are still a number of prize money checks left down at the Recreation alleys . . . the management urges those fellows who bowled in league competition and who as yet haven't received their checks to stop in and get them at the Dixon Recreation alleys at their earliest convenience.

PARTY DOIN'S . . . members of the Afternoon Ladies' Bowling League from the Dixon Recreation alleys, spent a most enjoyable afternoon and evening at the Elks' Club-House yester eve . . . **Mrs. Frank Daschbach**, chairman of the occasion, provided ample diversion during the time and the ladies' thoughts turned from strikes and spares to an excellent dinner in which all contributed liberally of their talents . . . **Frank Daschbach** was a guest when the repast was served . . .

DAILY DIRGE . . . local fishermen are not getting much enjoyment out of their angling efforts east of the Galena avenue bridge these days, according to reports . . . a large sewer at the foot of Ottawa avenue on the south side of the river for weeks has been dumping its contents into the river at the ledge which the Park Board constructed for the anglers . . . on the north side of the river near the foot of North Ottawa avenue, the fishermen report another sewer is depositing its contents into the river . . . both outlets may become quite offensive when the hot weather arrives . . .

ANTLER PROVIDER . . . **Jack Wilson** went to Chicago this morning to obtain an additional supply of hybrid deer corn and seeds for his Lost Nation Victory Garden . . . after conferring with his agricultural consultant, **Hugo Hendrix** . . .

TRAP SHOOT . . . **Mrs. Joseph Unger** proved her accuracy with the long barrel last Sunday when she listed fifth place in a trap shoot which was held on the Scheeler farm south of Rock Falls . . . **Howard Bonnell** of Erie walked off with the number one prize by smashing a perfect series of 25 and then hitting 17 more consecutive birds before missing one . . . **Lauren Pape** took second with 23 out of 25 . . . Loren Scheeler hit 21 . . . **Bob Howe** 18 . . . and then **Mrs. Unger** with 17 . . . and the rest of the field of sharpshooters followed with lower scores . . .

POLO BOWLING TOURNEY . . . the finals of the city inter-league bowling tournament were played off yester eve in the Golden Bowl alleys . . . the Gamble quintet copped the championship by barely nosing out the Pine Crest keggers by the count of 2429 to 2400 . . . **Hoffman** of the Gamble team garnered most of the individual honors of the match by leading his outfit with high series at 555 and turning in one game of 225 for single laurels . . . **Clem** of the Pine Crest team rolled the second high game with 206 and **Ling** paced the Crest boys with his series of 536 . . . the Polo Bowling Association will have its annual banquet Friday evening at 6:30 o'clock in the Opera House . . . season awards will be given out at this time and there will also be an election of officers . . .

HUMBLED . . . Reid Sunday Fisherman Fry has had a sudden change of heart . . . finding that his rod and reel just weren't getting the proper number of "scaly" catches . . . he changed his Sunday sport from fishing to picking flowers . . . last Sunday he was out picking violets (of all things) with Mrs. Reid and a few other gals . . . and we actually saw him down on his hands and knees plucking the blue beauties and seemingly getting a lot of satisfaction out of it . . . where there's a will there's a way . . .

HOODWINKED AGAIN . . . we've been promising for quite some time now to get the individual averages of all the bowling leagues from the Dixon Recreation published together, in one day and on one sheet for a permanent record . . . our last promise was for either today or tomorrow . . . and our dope is getting so cluttered up around this department that we can't see our way clear before Saturday of this week . . . nevertheless we'd like to list in today's line-up the outstanding stars of the association for the past season . . . **Ed Worley**, who is now stationed in Camp Lowry at Denver, Colorado, won the City Bowling Championship this season by averaging a 189 in 81 games in the Classic League while bowling with the Williams' DeSoto team . . . Ed went on to even establish a second place high while bowling with the Dixon Cafe quintet in the Major League by ringing up an average of 188 in 66 games . . . the season's most consistent honors go to **Robert Hoyle**, who competed in three different leagues . . . Bob didn't lead any particular league but he could easily have won one high crown if he could have switched his averages around a bit . . . Bob bowled for the Myers and Nolan team in the City League and maintained an average of 175 in 84 games . . . he hit his highest average while competing with the Shuck Grocery team in the Classic League with a 181 in 90 games . . . and while temporarily on the Budweiser Gardens team in the Commercial Loop, he made a 177 in 18 games . . . **J. Smith**, rolling for the Cahill Electrics, in the Commercial League, led that organization with an average of 186 in 72 games . . . **Carl Becker** of the Reynolds team was second to **Worley** in the Major League with 184 in 81 games . . . **Lyle "Flash" Fordham** led the City League while bowling for the Reynolds team with a 182 average in 81 games . . . **Hahn** paced the Keesin Motor outfit while leading the league with a 176 in 53 games . . . **P. Carson** and **H. Klein** tied up the Ladies' League top count . . . **P. Carson** hit a season average of 158 in 87 games for the Dixon Florists and **H. Klein** duplicated the performance while bowling for the Kathryn Beard team . . . **A. Daschbach**, with the Yankees, hit the high average in the Ladies' Afternoon League with a 148 in 78 games . . .

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Illinois Prep Track Meet Scheduled for Saturday May 16

Dwight 'Dyke' Eddleman of Centralia Basketball Fame Due to Smash State Record in High Jump Event Saturday

Has Possible Chance of Breaking National Interscholastic Record Also; Few Other Marks Are Threatened; 32 Teams Entered

Champaign, Ill., May 12—(AP)—If the government should set a ceiling on high jumps between now and the end of the week, Dwight Eddleman probably would leap right through it Saturday.

The Centralia flash not only is conceded that event in this week end's Illinois interscholastic track and field meet here but also is likely to do away with the 6 feet 5 1/2 inch maximum set by another Centralia boy, Lowell Spurgeon, in 1933.

Eddleman—in case you don't follow the "daily doings of Dyke"—reached 6 feet 6 1/4 inches in District competition last Saturday at Bridgeport. That, of course, won the event for him and also was better by 6 1/4 inches than the top performance in any of the other 15 districts meets around the state.

Eddleman, hero of Centralia's drive to the state basketball championship last March, will be working on the National interscholastic high jump record of 6 feet 7 1/2 inches set in 1938 by Gilbert La Cava of Beverly Hills, Calif.

State interscholastic records didn't have particular cause to shudder at other marks racked up in last week's district trials, in which winning teams earned the right to send all their point-making squadmen to Friday's and Saturday's meet at Champaign. Athletes from other schools also are eligible to compete in the state finals if they reached certain standards in district activity.

Here are the best performances reported from last week's meets (present state record in parentheses):

120 yard high hurdles—Burton, Provost of Maywood, 15 seconds. 100 yard dash—Levitt, East St. Louis; Robinson, Cairo; Roby, Moline, all 10.1 seconds (9.9).

Mile run—Brennan, Urbana, 4 minutes 30 seconds (4:22.5).

440 yard dash—Campana, Crane of Chicago, 50.4 seconds (48.8).

200 yard low hurdles—Bartkiewicz, Tilden of Chicago, 23.6 seconds (21.9).

220 yard dash—Geyer, Oak Park, 21.7 seconds (21.0).

880 yard run—Beile, Maine of Des Plaines, 2 minutes 1.5 seconds.

880 yard relay—Evanston (Zielinski, Kwasnieski, Healy, Shook) and Du Sable of Chicago (Anderson, Flowers, Ellis, Williams), 1 minute 32.5 seconds (1:29.8).

Shot put—Durant, Wheaton, 51 feet 4 inches (51.3).

Pole vault—Oliverson, Urbana, 11 feet 10 1/2 inches (12-11 1/2).

Discus throw—Behan, Crystal Lake, 147 feet 1 inch (149-3).

High jump—Eddleman, Centralia, 6 feet 6 1/4 inches (6-5 1/2).

Broad jump—Holland, Rock Island, 23 feet 4 1/2 inches (24-0).

Team winners in district meets, and points scored:

At Bridgeport, Lawrenceville, 53 points.

At Charleston, Paris, 35 points.

At Chicago, Du Sable, 36 points.

At East Aurora, York of Elmhurst, 44 1-11 points.

At Evanston, Evanston, 64 points.

At Granite City, East St. Louis, 60 points.

At Kankakee, Bloom of Chicago Heights, 42 points.

At Kewanee, Moline, 41 1/2 points.

At La Grange, Oak Park, 83 points.

At LaSalle-Peru, LaSalle-Peru, 43 1/2 points.

At Macomb-Quincy, 36 1/4 points.

At Monticello, Urbana, 41 points.

At Peoria, Peoria Central and Pekin tied, each 26 points.

At Rockford, East Rockford, 51 points.

At Taylorville, Benld, 30 points.

At West Frankfort, West Frankfort, 42 points.

FIGHTS LAST NIGHT

(By The Associated Press) Philadelphia—Gus Dorazio, 191, Philadelphia, outpointed Harry Bobo, 205 1/2, Pittsburgh, 10; Johnny Walker, 154 1/2, Philadelphia, knocked out Carl Dell, 145, Oneonta, N. Y. (8).

Chicago—Charles Roth, 178, Detroit, won on foul from Joe Maxin, 178 1/2, Cleveland, (2).

Baltimore—Bobby Ruffin, 131 1/2, New York, outpointed Billy Banks, 137, Washington, (10).

Pitching Head, Brooklyn 4-0; Starr, Cincinnati 3-0. (Based on three decisions.)

AMERICAN LEAGUE

Batting—Spence, Washington, 41; Doerr, Boston 400.

Aüns—Williams, Boston 28; Di Maggio, Boston 234.

Runs batted in—Williams, Boston 27; Spence, Washington, and York, Detroit 25.

Hits—Spence, Washington 44; McCoy, Detroit 34.

Doubles—Higgins, Detroit, Cliff, St. Louis and DiMaggio, Boston 9.

Triples—Spence, Washington 6; Sudek, Philadelphia, Heath, Cleveland and Fox, Boston 4.

Home runs—York, Detroit, and Williams, Boston 7.

Stolen bases—Case, Washington 8; Kuhel, Chicago 6.

Pitching—Bonham, New York 4; Heving, Cleveland 3-0. (Based on three decisions.)

TO AID FRUIT HARVEST

Ana, Ill., May 12—(AP)—WPA officials announced today the suspension of Union county projects in a move designed to provide laborers for jobs in orchards and on farms. The suspension order affected all projects employing male workers and will continue in effect until Union county's large peach crop is harvested.

Big Ten Track Meet This Week-End to Be Speed Show

Evanston, Ill., May 12—(AP)—Lush with individual rivalries, the 42nd running of the Big Ten track and field meet this week end may be one of the most bitterly-contested affairs in years.

Ohio State's well-balanced team is expected to dissolve the seven-year-old championship monopoly held by Michigan and Indiana, thus winning its first outdoor conference title.

Four world records—in the 100 dash, 220, low hurdles and broad jump—established by Jesse Owens in 1935 appear safe from challenge.

But anything can happen to the remainder.

Great interest is centered on the 440 which has weathered assaults since 1916 when Binga Desmond of Chicago ran it in the record time of :47.4. Only last week Russ Owens of Ohio State clicked it off in :48 flat, while the best time in last year's meet was :48.6 by Cochran of Indiana.

Both Campbell, Kane and Earl Mitchell of Indiana are primed for Don Lash's mile mark of 4:10.8. Mitchell already this year has been clocked in 4:10.7 indoors and Kane only a shade off. Sophomore Mitchell also may threaten Walter Mehl's two-mile record of 9:10.4, although his best 1942 race was in the indoor meet in 9:30.

Bob Wright of Ohio State who has come close to hurdle records during the spring is expected to be pushed by Iowa's Hank Vollenweider and Illinois' Doon Olsen.

The pole vault ceiling of 14 feet 2 1/4 inches set by Bob Cassels of Chicago may be surpassed by the pushing of Minnesota's Jack Defield and Wisconsin's Bill Williams.

Preliminaries will begin Friday at 3 p. m. in the sprints, quarter mile, half mile, hurdles, shot, discus and broad jump. Finals will start Saturday at 2:30 p. m. fourteen events will be unreeled. The javelin throw has been abandoned.

Outstanding performers will be invited to compete in a dual meet with representatives of the Pacific Coast Conference at Northwestern in June.

DORAZIO PUNCHES AWAY HARRY BOBO'S CHANCES FOR FIGHT WITH LOUIS

Philadelphia, May 12—(AP)—Gus Dorazio's latest job of spoiling a young heavyweight's title hopes—a stunning upset over Pittsburgh's Harry Bobo—so enraged the battle-scarred veteran he's clamoring for another shot at Joe Louis.

The squat little Italian crouched and clouted his way to a split decision over the towering negro in 10 furious rounds last night at the arena and probably knocked Bobo out of three juicy fights he had lined up this summer with Melio Bettina, Bob Pastor and either Buddy Baer or Lou Nova.

Outweighed 191 to 205 1/2 and one the short end of 3 to 1 odds, Gus befuddled Bobo by weaving and bobbing and crashing in with powerful body blows.

Dorazio weathered two staggering first round punches, came back in the third to send Bobo reeling to his corner in a daze and closed his right eye in the sixth.

The fighting deacon connected with his Sunday punch in the eighth and knocked Dorazio half-way through the ropes. He kept punching while Gus was hung up in the ring and the crowd of 8,000 booted.

Referee Irving Katcher awarded Dorazio the decision when the judges disagreed. It was Dorazio's second victory in three bouts with the Pittsburgher. All were decisions.

Rejections by Army Examiners Show Drop

Springfield, Ill., May 12—(AP)—A sharp drop in the number of selectees rejected by the army on physical grounds was reported today by Major E. Mann Hartlett, medical officer of the Illinois selective service system.

Under the old plan requiring thorough physical examinations by both local board doctors and army medical officers, rejections were 49.39 per cent of all selectees examined, but the percentage dropped to less than 36 per cent in the first three months of this year under the system in which army doctors give the first complete examination.

Actually, the rejections at army induction centers were only 31.2 per cent, but Major Hartlett explained about five per cent previously were deferred after preliminary limited type examinations by local board doctors. In April, the army induction center rejections dropped still further to 27.33 per cent.

"Of the number rejected by the army medical officer 24.78 per cent can be made ready for full military service by having certain minor defects corrected," he added.

ROCKFORD DRUGGIST DIES

Rockford, Ill., May 12—(AP)—H. C. Porter, 78, veteran Rockford druggist and former president of the Illinois Pharmaceutical Association, died at his home yesterday after a heart attack.

Conn Breaks Hand on Father-in-Law



—NEA Telephoto
Private Billy Conn, chief contender for heavyweight champion, displays bandaged hand, after New York doctor confirmed his fear that it was broken. Conn injured hand in fight with his father-in-law, Jimmy Smith, in the Smith home in Pittsburgh, Pa.

HOW THEY STAND

AMERICAN LEAGUE		
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MENDOTA

Five Hurt in Crash
Five persons were injured in a two-car crash, north of Mendota on route 51, about 10 p. m. Saturday and were treated at the Harris hospital. All have been released.

It was reported that the accident occurred as cars driven by Delpho Musi of Ottawa, accompanied by Wilbur Ellegod, Congress Park, collided with one in which Margy Tyler, Lorena Carter and Dendellin Tiussel, all of Rochelle, were riding. Two Mendota persons, riding in a car behind the Ottawa machine, reported that this car swerved all over the road for the five miles they followed it.

Neither Musi nor Ellegod were seriously injured while Miss Tyler had to have 15 stitches to close a wound in her right leg and Miss Carter had 10 stitches to close a head wound. The other person suffered a dislocated shoulder.

Hospital News
Mrs. Harvey Telcamp, Lamoille, submitted to major surgery Monday morning.

Elmer Wright, Earlville, submitted to major surgery Monday morning.

Mrs. Delphin Schlessinger and baby returned to their home Sunday.

Honor Prema Rhea
One hundred 25 guests honored Miss Prema Rhea, formerly rural mail carrier, on route three out of Mendota, at a party Saturday evening in the community hall, Triumph.

Five hundred and euchre were played and prizes won by Mrs. William Sibigroth, Floyd Davis, Mrs. Floyd Davis and Lowell Dilbeck in 500; Mr. and Mrs. L. O. Davis, Mark Satchell and Sherman Andrews in euchre.

Miss Rhea was presented with a purse of money.

Miss Rhea has been transferred from Mendota to Grand Ridge.

Mendota Personals
Mr. and Mrs. McKinley Gibbs, Princeton, visited Sunday at the home of Mrs. Elsie Gibbs and Mr. and Mrs. Roger Gibbs.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Mathesius, Mendota, and Mr. and Mrs. Richard Mead, LaSalle, visited Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Clemmons, Paw Paw.

Callers Sunday at the home of Mrs. Elsie Moulton were Mrs. Arthur Moulton and Mrs. Brown and children, Leland.

Peter Donahue, Camp Grant, was a guest Sunday at the home of his mother, Mrs. Mayme Donahue.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Schaller, DeKalb, visited Sunday at the homes of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Schaller and Mr. and Mrs. Herman Kutter.

Bob Blass, Camp Grant, visited his mother, Mrs. Harriett Blass, over the week end.

Daniel Faber, Scott Field, visited Saturday evening and Sunday at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Faber. Sunday evening Mr. and Mrs. Faber took Don back as far as Bloomington.

Funds for Christian Education are Being Pledged by Dixonites

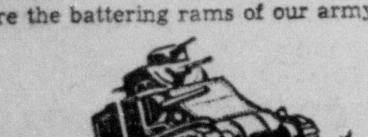
A preliminary checkup on the results of the general solicitation for funds for the Dixon Council of Christian Education Monday showed that \$867, or 6 8 per cent of the quota, had been pledged, it was announced today. A great deal of solicitation remains to be done, and from the progress made, it is believed the quota will be reached without trouble. Another checkup will be made at a meeting of solicitors at the Presbyterian church at 7:45 o'clock Wednesday evening, and final reports will be made at a meeting at the same place and at the same hour Friday evening.

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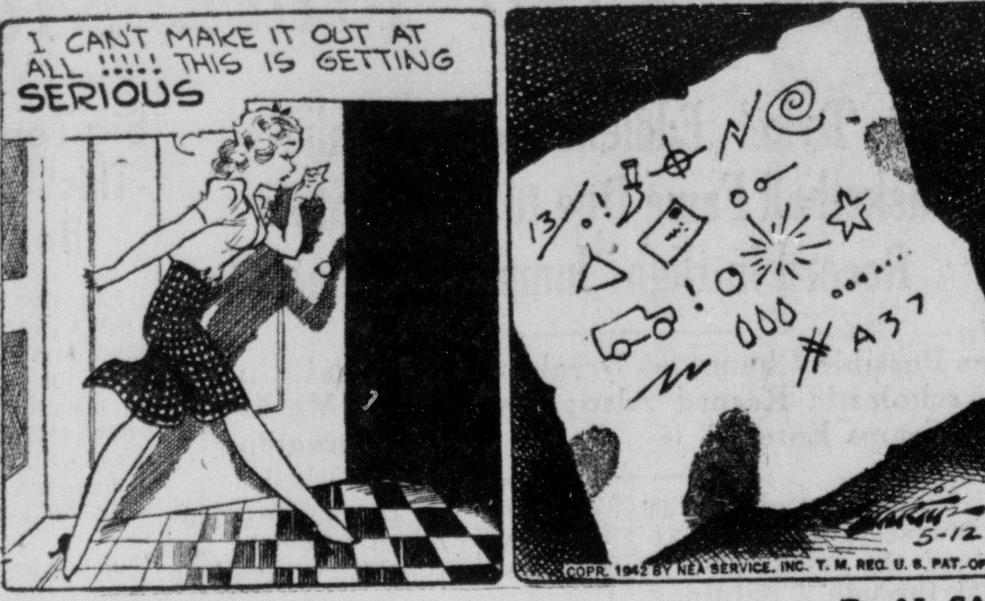


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BOOTS AND HER BUDDIES



Another One



By EDGAR MARTIN

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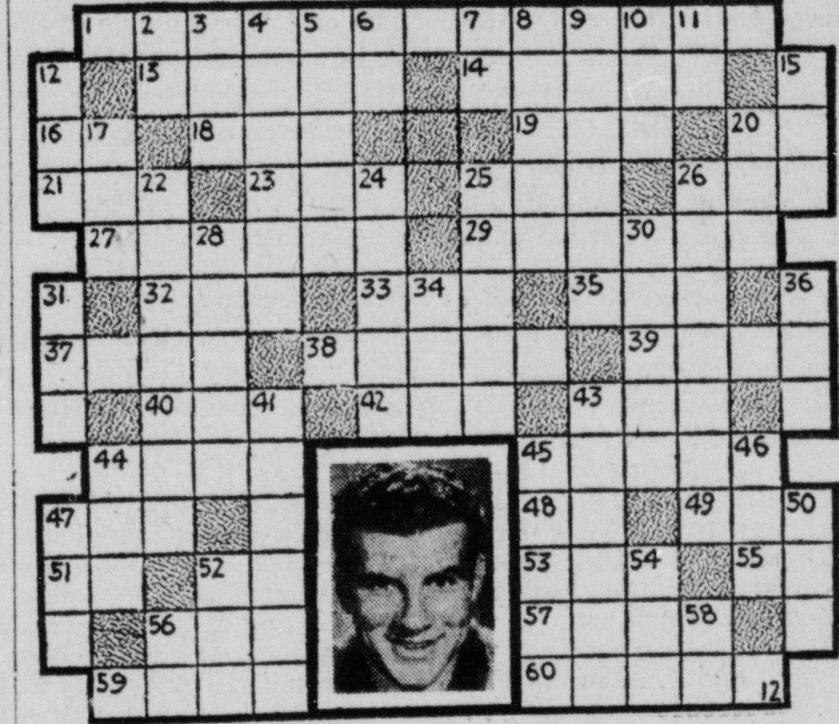
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Locals

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Winger and daughters of Geneseo were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Winger. Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Winger of Dixon were also Sunday dinner guests in the Winger home.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Franks and son Gail of Rock Falls and Earl Brown of Deer Grove were Sunday supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Franks.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Westphal and family of Kingston were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Brewer.

Sunday evening dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Stewart Miller were: Mr. and Mrs. Guy Beard of Mendota, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Swanson, Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Raker, Homer Raker and Mrs. Bernice Olson, all of Princeton.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Leiser spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Kercher of Downers Grove.

Mr. and Mrs. Ned M. Cater and son of Varna, Ill., were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Otto Kerchner. On Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Cater and son and Mrs. Kerchner were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Winger of Sheffield.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Staples of Princeton and Margaret Fisher were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Smith and daughter.

Miss Elsie Bohler of Chicago spent the week end with mother, Mrs. Mary Bohler.

Mrs. Mary Ioder of Dixon spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Heaton and family. On Saturday afternoon Mrs. Ioder called on her sister, Mrs. J. T. Winger.

Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Buckner of Lyndon were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Buckner.

Mrs. A. F. Gilchrist of Macomb came Friday and will stay until Wednesday at home of son and family, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Gilchrist. Mrs. Gilchrist will be accompanied home by her grandson Jimmy, for a few weeks.

Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Gonigam, Jr., were: Mr. and Mrs. Howard Wright and son Billy of Leland, Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Miller of Ottawa, Mr. and Mrs. William Stockley and son Herbert, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Stockley and son David, Mrs. Eva Blue and Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Stockley and children of Earlville.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Hoffman and daughter Marietta of Naperville came Sunday for rededication of Red Oak church. Mrs. Hoffman and daughter accompanied by Mildred Hatland, who will visit in the Hoffman home, returned home on Sunday evening. Mr. Hoffman remained until Tuesday at home of his sisters.

Mr. and Mrs. Vance Flapp and daughters of Altona, Ill., were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Glaaska.

Mr. Ezra Flapp and son Gail moved from Davis, Ill., on Tuesday and are living in apartment at home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Epperson.

Mr. and Mrs. James Wickey of Princeton, and Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Stickle and family were Sunday guests of Mrs. Marybelle Russell and daughter, Georgia.

Miss Alice Norden was a Sunday guest of Mr. and Mrs. Russell Mills of Princeton.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Wahl and daughters of Princeton were Sunday callers of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wahl and Mrs. Rosa Minier.

Miss Priscilla Hamerle of Keewanee spent Sunday with parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Hammerle.

Mrs. Hazel Rodman of Rockford and Mrs. Pearl Hartley of Freeport attended the rededication of the Red Oak church.

Miss Mary Albrecht, student nurse at Peoria spent the week end with parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Albrecht.

Miss Ann Pitman of Princeton spent Sunday and Monday with Mr. and Mrs. Anna Massie.

Miss Ethel Mae Baumgartner of Dixon spent the week end with father, Ed Baumgartner.

Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Holle and daughter Doris of Downers Grove spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Ezra Guither.

Miss Wilamena White spent the past week in Dixon visiting at the homes of Mr. and Mrs. Wm.

Morris and Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Stephens. On Sunday evening, Mr. and Mrs. Roy White were supper guests of Mrs. White.

Bob Bass of Urbana spent the week end with parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Bass and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Keigwin and Mrs. Emma Keigwin all of Peoria were week end guests of Mrs. Pauline Shearburn. Other Sunday guests were Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Shearburn and son Arthur Leland.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Schibilla and son Frank, Jr. all of Davenport, Iowa, were Saturday afternoon callers of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Schrader and family.

The machine shed on the Frank Ewalt farm was struck by lightning early Saturday evening, burning all his machinery.

Mr. and Mrs. John Bousum of Polo, and Mr. and Mrs. Alden Wolfe and sons of Dixon were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Wolfe and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Wise and family of Sterling were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wolfe.

Mrs. J. P. McCall of Dover and Mrs. Leslie Stocking and daughter Alice were Sunday afternoon callers of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Lauritz and sons.

Mr. and Mrs. Perry Noble and family and Marylou Retke were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Levi Noble, near Amboy, and Mr. and Mrs. Perry Noble, Jr. of Monroe were Sunday night and Monday night guests of Mr. Noble's parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Burke Livey and family, Mr. and Mrs. Burke Livey and daughters, Mrs. Jennie Livey and son Jeff, Mr. and Mrs. I. M. Lewis and daughters, Miss Arlyn Wall and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Stephens all enjoyed a picnic dinner at golf course.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl McDonald and son Ted of Sterling and Private Robert McDonald of Chanute Field were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Peterson.

Mr. Roy Gallentine, Mrs. Wayne McDonald and T. B. Long visited their brother, Private Martin Long at Camp Grant on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Gesslein and son Charles of Mendota and Dr. and Mrs. Everett Pope of Belvidere were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Broers.

Mrs. John V. Bakelite of Methuen, Mass. came Friday for a three week visit with relatives at Henry, Ill. and Walnut.

Miss Rhae Jean Andrews, student nurse at Oak Park, spent week end with grandmother, Mrs. Helena Husman and visited her mother, Mrs. Emma Andrews, patient at Perry Memorial hospital at Princeton.

Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Glaze were Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Anthony and son of Glendale, California, Mrs. Ida Anthony of Huntington Park, California, Charles Peterson of Rock Island, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Kohler and daughter, Iona and Mr. and Mrs. Jack O'Connor all of Kewanee, Cecil Dawson of Sterling, Mr. and Mrs. William Epperson and children, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Parker and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Gerbitz and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Philip Magnuson and daughters spent the week end with relatives at St. Louis, Missouri. Mrs. Magnuson and daughter Dorothy remained this week and Mr. Magnuson and daughter Verda returned.

Mr. and Mrs. Myron Stackhouse of Cambridge were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Wallis.

Mr. and Mrs. Nevin Emerich returned to their home at Harrisburg, Pa., Monday. They were accompanied by nephew, John Abbott, Jr. who will visit in the Emerich home.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Keithahn of Dixon were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Keithahn and daughter.

Miss Sue Carlson of Chicago is guest of sister, Mrs. Elizabeth Stone. Miss Carlson is recuperating from a recent operation.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles B. Keigwin, Jr. were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Peterson of Manlius and Mr. and Mrs. Lee Buzzard.

Mr. and Mrs. Olaf Christensen and Mrs. Thursa Sanders were Sunday guests of Mrs. Flora Reid of Amboy.

Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Fisher and son were Sunday guests of Mrs. Ethel Watson of Dixon.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Stiers spent Sunday with Mrs. Edna Minor of Rock Island.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Burkey of Princeton were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Burkey.

Mr. and Mrs. Emmett R. Meyers spent the week end at Paxton with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Philip Hopkins and daughter Anita of Dixon were Saturday evening dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Christensen and son, Mr. and Mrs. Merle Schuneman and son, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Lempke, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Barber and daughters, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Schuneman and daughters, Rev. and Mrs. Beau-



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(From Lee County Board No. 1, Dixon)

Above (left to right)—Front row: Glenhart D. Mansch; Lyle O. Snader, Robert S. Johnson (leader), Hubert O. Auman (assistant leader).

Second row: J. Courtney Ryan, Henry B. Wilson, Frederick W. Herzog, Vincent C. Oehl, Robert R. Riggs.

Third row: Paul C. Schildberg, Lynne D. Jenks, Edward Doherty of Dixon, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Drezewitz and daughter Sandra of Homewood Heights, Miss Betty Full of Peoria, Miss Henrietta Full and Seth Freeman of Des Moines, Ia., James Liston of Clinton, Ia., and Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Full of family.

Back row: Edward A. O'Malley, Wallace A. Hicks, Louis Mazmania, Ronald G. Kuhn, Orville C. Rogers.

bers having birthdays in the month of May.

Mrs. John Hammerle gave the lesson study using the third and fourth chapters of the book "The Author of Liberty". The topics of the two chapters were: "It happens in America", and "Another Rests". The closing song was "I Will Be True". Rev. E. M. Diener closed the meeting with prayer and benediction. Mrs. Sam Gerber will be the June hostess. Delicious lunch closed the May meeting.

Christian Ladies' Aid

The Christian Ladies' Aid met Thursday afternoon in the church parlor with about 35 present. The meeting opened by singing "Faith is the Victory". Mrs. Everett Ganschow had charge of the devotions using as her topic "Missions in Countries Occupied by War". She was assisted by Mrs. Everett Larson who read an article, "We Can Build a World Christian Community". Mrs. Ganschow closed the devotions with the poems "The Power and the Glory" and "Dedication to Mother". Alice Gramer, president of the Aid society, had charge of the regular business meeting. Dainty lunch was served.

Business Girls' Club

Mrs. Franklin Wallace was hostess to the Business Girls' club on Thursday evening. Two tables of bridge were at play. High score prizes were awarded to Mrs. Charles Miller and Marvin Fox. Delicious lunch was served.

Sunday Dinner

Mr. and Mrs. Michael Full entertained the following guests at dinner on Sunday: Mr. and Mrs. Cletus Full and two daughters, Mrs. Helen Meeks of Dixon at their home on Sunday.

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Mrs. Helen Cox and son LaVerne and Mrs. Marion Dyer and daughter Rogine were Sunday dinner guests of their mother, Mrs. Catherine Burkhardt of West Brooklyn.

Mr. and Mrs. James R. Keyes of Peotone, Ill., were Mother's day guests at the Albert Kayes home.

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Mrs. Jim Castle spent the week end in Peoria and Avon, Ill., with relatives.

Jay Langford, student at Drake University, Des Moines, Iowa, is spending the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Langford.

Miss Carrie Hammerle and Mrs. Ezra Guither were Princeton shoppers on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Kruse and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Kruse were among those from Amboy who attended the Eastern Star meeting which was held in Franklin Grove on Monday evening.

Card Club

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